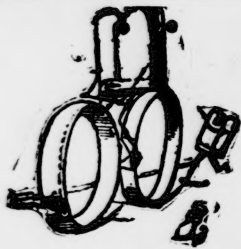


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AN INTERESTING PAPER ON

"The Work of Farmers' Institutes and What They May be Expected to Accomplish."

A paper read before the Brandon Farmers' Institute, by Mr. Wm. Thompson, Editor of the Farmers' Advocate.

According to the dictionary "Farming is the business of cultivating the land" and an institute is that which instructs or is designed to instruct. There then, we have the whole thing in a nut shell. The principle is simple though the application of it may be very broad, but in the end the object clearly is the increase and diffusion of knowledge about the business of farming which is to-day in many respects, the most important in Canada and one worthy of the thought and the toil of the best men that the country produces.

The notion has long been cherished that the dullest boy in the family would do for a farmer but the bright one must be sent off to town and educated for a profession. Bone, muscle, industry and economy are essential on the farm, but there must be the directing power of brains behind them. Some people are believing to realize in this and other agricultural countries that it takes a decidedly able man to be a successful farmer. Furthermore farmers have too often looked down upon their own calling. If a man expects to enjoy the esteem and respect of his fellows he must respect himself. So is it with farming. It is an honorable occupation. We all say that. Let us live up to our belief. Once a young man appreciates farming as it should be appreciated, sees it is not mere drudgery, that it will afford him health and vigor, full scope for the use of his intellect, reasonable remuneration, and a fair opportunity to rise to positions of trust in his country, then he will not be so anxious to crowd the walks of the city life.

Farming is not mere chance of work or "luck" as the dictionary says it is a "business". As an excuse for lack of energy and industry men have quoted scriptures "seed time and harvest shall not fail. True. But the crops sometimes prove failures and besides the same Good Book declares, "The hand of the diligent maketh rich." Hence, it is not enough merely to get knowledge; that knowledge must be intelligently and industriously applied whether in seed, wheat, clover, soil cultivation, harvesting, marketing of the care of live stock. "I have been now, a night's sight better than I farm, said a man who could see no use in an Institute meeting. I am free to admit that perhaps none of us do things as perfectly as we would like but there is a serious loss in that man's make up. Was he not mistaken in the extent of his knowledge? He knew how in a general sort of way that good farming gave good results and poor farming the reverse, but he stopped there. It was a case of faith without works and faith could not save him from an unimproved soil, a ramshackle out-buildings, implements prematurely gone to wreck, stunted wheat, cows that had to be "tied up" in spring, chattered mortgages, writs and possibly the Sheriff to ring down the curtain on the career of a man whose great success was in holding down the soft barbed in a corner grocery growing because there was no money in farming.

I came across a man the other day who could not see his way clear into investing \$1,000 in the information which he might obtain in a year from the pages of a paper devoted to his own business. At the very same time I had a letter in my possession from another who in one year saved many times the subscription in actual cash by one item of information obtained from its pages and on file the testimony of scores of others to the same effect. I am not foolish enough to claim that merely reading an agricultural paper will save every farmer or make good ones out of poor ones. Neither will a Farmers' Institute save a man who merely sits and listens but will not act. One man "can't afford" 20 cents to belong to a Farmers' Institute or 100 cents for an Agricultural paper, nor a day to visit the Experimental Farm, while another man finds that he can't afford to do without these advantages for himself and his family. I need hardly remind you of these things but then this and other Institutes are as heaven which must share in leveling the whole lump. Knowledge is never in the way and it is well for this country that no selfish man can take out a "patent right" upon it. Lacking misfortunes which he cannot control, if agricultural knowledge does not improve a farmer's methods then there is probably something wrong with the man; or as Jos. Billings said, "He has either got a naughty poor ancestor, or else he is boring down in the wrong hole, in which case he had better pull up and tackle some easier business."

In the matter of prosperity, home comforts, or any of the things that go to make up a successful or desirable life, are we not quite safe in setting off one against the other, the men who avail themselves of the means of improvement and those who "care for none of these things." It is a hopeful sign when men begin to think. I know of one locality where, by reason of weeds, smutty wheat crops growing poorer and poorer, one man suddenly woke up and bethought himself that something must be done so they decided to form a Farmers' Institute and set about the work of reform. I have hope for that locality. Occasionally we meet the objection, "Oh, experience is the

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best teacher. I will learn by my own observation. My friends, life is short, for some of us and be we ever so capable naturally, we cannot learn it all alone. Experience is terribly expensive sometimes and a useful fact about any branch of farming is no less valuable because it happens to be stated by a brother farmer on the floor of an Institute meeting. If it is worth knowing the sooner it is acquired the better.

Agriculture is the foundation business of this country and in many respects the very best in which a man can engage. True, for the capital invested the returns may not be so large. Great wealth may not be so quickly amassed as in mercantile life but fundamentally it is safer, and I believe the proportion of actual failures far, less, in fact there is probably no comparison. In mercantile life we find there are two sets of causes to which failures are due: one the fault of those failing the other not.

The first of these includes: Incompetence or incapacity, inexperience, lack of capital, unwise granting of credit, speculation outside regular business, negligence due to doubtful habits and personal extravagance.

Seven rather serious causes to which is added the fraudulent disposition of property. The second set of causes:—Those not due to the persons failing:—include disasters, the failures of others and undue competition. In Canada in 1891 out of 1846 failures no less than 1230 arose from lack of capital, 263 from incompetence, 44 from inexperience and 142 from disasters; other causes scattering.

In other words lack of capital, incompetence and inexperience were responsible for nearly 80 per cent of all the failures; what is inexperience but lack of knowledge and does not ignorance lie back of many failures ascribed to lack of capital? Merchants and others expended their business to an unwarranted extent either through lack of business knowledge or through sheer recklessness. Are there not lessons for the farmer in these facts? Have not many run behind in trying to cover too many acres necessitating the undue borrowing of capital for land, seed and implements to do so and paying heavy interest, their farm methods being such as to make the cost of production so great that there is little or nothing, sometimes less than nothing, left? We must look ahead and figure closely, watch the details and know where we stand.

Never in the history of the world were there so many and so powerful organizations existing as to-day. We have just been witnessing a great struggle between organized labor on one side and a great railway corporation on the other. Farmers too have organized in various ways. The particular form of tendency which a society of farmers will take depends upon the ideas the promoters have of the object to be attained and the best methods to be adopted. One class of organization such as the Patrons of Industry, the Alliance or the Grange proposes to deal mainly with the farmers' Commercial on business relations while another of which the Farmers' Institute is the best example deals

more particularly with practical agriculture and is therefore an educational movement designed to help its members to become more intelligent, and systematic tillers of the soil, breeders and feeders of live stock, growers of fruits or manufacturers of dairy products and to keep them posted as to the particular form, style and manner in which they can market their products to best advantage. There is no immediate danger, you see, of running out of subjects. It is unwise to introduce questions over which political parties are at war or to indulge in a controversy merely for the sake of controversy. Keep out of ruts. Don't rise hobbies to death. Popularize the meetings. Vary the programmes. Encourage the young men to take part and let them share in the management of the Institute. Make it so interesting that every body will want to go. I believe it would also be an improvement and add interest if the failures were more frequently present, not only in the audience but taking part in the programme. Farming from the woman's standpoint is too generally overlooked. Have the best available hall or meet in.

In view of all the circumstances the Farmers' Institute system of Manitoba has made very satisfactory progress but should be more generally extended and systematically carried on. A series of one or two day meetings of all Institutes throughout the Province combining local talent and outside aid should be held during a favorable season at least once a year. It is most desirable to have the presence of those possessing expert knowledge of the natural sciences which are inseparably conducted with farming operations, the growths of plants and animals, their ailments, and the relations they bear unto the other, and to furnish full and accurate information as far as possible to all enquirers.

In conclusion I can but indicate in the briefest possible manner a few of the results that we should expect to flow from Institute work:

- 1st. Better farming as a result of increased knowledge, more faith and enthusiasm are worth a great deal to any enterprise. Without them it will drop and die.
- 2nd. Better returns for the farmer's toil and investment.
- 3rd. Fewer frauds and humbugs thriving.
- 4th. More comfortable homes.
- 5th. Less isolation among farmers and greater unity of action.
- 6th. Greater respect by himself and the community for the business of farming.
- 7th. Development of the capacity to conduct public meetings and deal with public questions.
- 8th. The young men of the country appreciating more than they do at present the advantages of an agricultural life.
- 9th. A more general recognition of the profound truth contained in the words, "Speak to the earth and it shall teach thee."

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BY BERNARD BIGSBY.

CHAPTER XVII.
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"Not he, indeed," Campignon replied confidently. "They would not dare to

CHAPTER XVIII.

Here Miss Halderstone's voice became little tremulous and tears forced themselves into her eyes; an expression

"Surely," Miss Calderstone said, smiling through her charrin, "you are not making a sacrifice of your daughter's happiness—you speak so strangely about her marrying the land?"

"You've a young lady named Miss Ashame staying here," the farmer suggested, blandly.

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LOCAL NEWS.

To-morrow will be Good Friday.

The Pilot Mound Sentinel reports 200,000 bushels of wheat in store at Fort William.

Mr. George Ware, (colored) barber, of this city, died on Monday last, after a few days illness.

Four more car loads of horses were unloaded yesterday morning for the Brandon market.

Mr. Kelly, of the Kelly House, has sold his hotel on 6th street to a gentleman from Toronto.

Work will be resumed on Wilson's block, corner 7th street and Rosser, in about a week.

Mr. J. Caryl, jeweler, is removing his establishment to 6th street, where he will carry on business as usual.

Between two and three hundred settlers passed through the city yesterday morning en route for Edmonton district.

Upwards of 60 delegates left yesterday for Winnipeg, to attend the convention of the Society of Christian Endeavor.

A lacrosse club was organized at Neepawa on Monday evening last. The boys intend to put a good team on the field this summer.

The members of the fire brigade wish to thank Dr. McDiarmid for a check of \$25 presented to them for their services on Friday night.

Eight hundred people arrived in Winnipeg from the east on Friday evening last. Many were experienced farmers, ready to till the Manitoba fields.

The Treasurer of the General Hospital wishes to acknowledge the following contributions:—A Friend \$500, Dr. Bell, asylum \$600, St. Andrew's Society \$75.

The Winnipeg Review says that the Brandon Sun is edited by the most amusing jackass in Manitoba. We never heard that name for Amolek Moses before.

Mr. F. Vennables, late of this city, but now of Hamiota, was in the city a few days last week. He is well satisfied with the town of Hamiota and reports business as brisk.

Mr. S. F. Johnston, Hardware merchant of this city, has sold out his business to his brother in Winnipeg. Mr. Johnston will move to California to reside in the future.

The Church of England people at Alexander are moving in the direction of erecting a new church building of their own. There is quite a congregation there, and they should be able to do it.

A man named Colquhoun, who was tried at Hurtle last week for selling liquor without a license and fined \$150 or four months, is now in the Brandon jail, he preferring the latter to the fine.

Amongst the number of our young clerks, who have gone out to engage in farming this spring, is Mr. Bates, of the Merchants Bank. We wish him every success in his new sphere.

The mass meeting (for men only) in the new City Hall on Sunday afternoon last, held by Crossley & Hunter was so largely attended that many who went to seek admittance had to be turned away.

To those interested in the success of the Brandon Summer Fair, the directors ask for offerings of special prizes in money or goods, the same to be handed to the secretary, Mr. T. Harkness, before the 20th inst.

Mr. Sandison, the business farmer of this locality, has returned from the Old Country, bringing with him twenty-one experienced farmers, which he intends to set at work on his various farms in the Souris district.

The anniversary service of the I. O. O. F. will be held in the Methodist church on Sunday April 24th, at 4.15 p.m. A cordial invitation is extended to all visiting brethren to assemble with us. Brethren will meet at the hall, Nation's block, at 3.30 sharp.

Mr. Stewart Robertson is offering for sale at T. Harkness stables, on 9th street, five of the best imported Clydesdale stallions that have ever been brought to the city. Parties desiring good stallions would do well to give him a call.

Mr. Carle, of Elton, has had imported for himself, from Quebec, that thoroughbred French horse Napoleon No. 2, which he will place on the road this season. This will give lovers of French stock or cross an opportunity to have their desires gratified.

The Calico Ball, to be given on the 22nd inst., in aid of the General Hospital is expected to be one of the grandest affairs of the season. Good music will be provided for the occasion, and a large number from the surrounding towns are expected to be present.

Did you see the Sandison wagon, paraded by the Massey-Harris warehouse this week? Well, it was good but nothing to what it will be when he takes out his seventeen Massey-Harris Binders. Stand on the corner and see for yourself.

Messrs. Gillespie and Buchanan, who arrived in this city three weeks ago with a car load of horses, have disposed of them all, and are on a trip to Oxbow and other points with a view to taking up land.

Cash of hay on consignment. Hay delivered free to any part of the city. 1 cent per 100 lbs. actual scale weights. 15 cents per bale of 110 lbs. Telephone 172. W. H. Hooper, Auctioneer Real estate and commission. Rosser ave. and 12th street.

The local corps of the Salvation Army are endeavoring to establish a brass band.

Brakeman Perry Bird got a finger badly nipped on Tuesday last whilst making a coupling.

Mr. Thos. Beaubier intends building a large addition to his stables on 8th street this coming summer. He has already let the contract.

Mr. Samuel Townsend left for Seaforth, Ont., a few days ago, having received word that his father was lying dangerously ill.

A family of emigrants numbering 13, arrived in the city on Thursday's west bound express. That's the way to swell the population.

Lachin Taylor, a 15 year old son of Mr. James Taylor, sustained a painful injury on Tuesday last, by a horse falling on his leg.

The Y.M.C.A. intend organizing a foot ball team shortly. Those interested are requested to call at their rooms in the Fleming Block.

Last week Messrs. J. D. McGregor & Co., sold their three year old stallion "Hallstone Attractor" to Mr. R. Casswell, of Saskatoon, N.W.T.

Mr. Geo. Elliott, general merchant at Hamiota, was in the city on Saturday last, purchasing a large supply of merchandise for the spring and summer trade.

A meeting of the Brandon Baseball club will be held on Wednesday evening, April 20th, in Henderson & Matheson's office. Those interested are requested to attend.

A number are complaining about the pools of stagnant water, which have been lying in the streets for the past month in front of their doors, especially on the main streets.

The Regina Leader says that "Mr. Davin made a speech that delighted the House." Well done, Davin, there are but few men who would have the courage to write that way about themselves, but then there are but few Davins.

If you want to decorate your home at the least possible expense, buy some of those cheap wall papers at the Main Bookstore. We have the largest stock, the best selections, and the lowest prices by at least 20 per cent.

Remember the concert and tableaux to be held in the new City Hall on Tuesday, April 19th, in aid of St. Matthew's church. An excellent programme is being arranged, and have secured the best possible talent. Plan of hall at Halpin's drug store. Reserved seats 60 cents.

A special afternoon service will be held on Easter Sunday, April 17th, in Spring Valley school at 3 p.m. Rev. J. J. Bowker, of Brandon, will give an address. An invitation is extended to all. Offertory for Episcopal church fund.

On Friday evening last, about half past ten, the fire brigade was called out, a fire having originated in the second story of McKelvie & Dunwoody's store. The fire was extinguished before any serious damage was done, although some of the goods were slightly damaged by water.

The following were up before Police Magistrate Todd on Monday last: Wm. and Geo. Stuart, for being drunk and disorderly and resisting arrest. Fined \$2 and costs or 21 days. Not being able to pay the fine they were sent to jail. Also Andrew Pettr, larceny Decision deferred.

Farmer Sandison gave our citizens a bit of a free show on Tuesday. He purchased in town eight spans of horses at Kelly's barns, bought eight wagons from Massey-Harris combine and eight sets of harness from Adams Bros., and when all was fitted up they formed a procession for the farm.

Auction sale of north half of section 18 8-22, W. H. Hooper's office, city of Brandon, Tuesday April 19th 1892 at 1 p.m.

N.W. 22-9-17. Known as the Mac-S-E 22-9-16. (The farm is 1 mile from Martintown on the N. P. W. H. Hooper's office, city of Brandon, Tuesday 26th day of April, 1892, at 2 p.m.

N.W. 22-8-18. Administrators sale N.W. 21-8-18. Estate Late Charles S.E. 1-9-18. Bellamy.

W. H. Hooper's office, city of Brandon, Thursday April 28th at 2 p.m. West 1 of section 10-11-21, 6 miles N of Alexander, at Commercial hotel, Alexander, on Saturday, April 30th 1892 at 2 p.m.

The Souris Plaindealer is to hand, and a creditable production as to typography, any of the advertisements etc. showing at the start at least, that the town has an enterprising paper, and the people are disposed to support it; but after all why so many young men want to go into the newspaper business in the Northwest is a conundrum, as support the paper the people may in all legitimate ways, there is no money in the business at present rates for work when distributed over the number of papers to be supported. Taking into account the money invested in plants the cost of wear on material and reasonable wages for the proprietors, and it is safe to say there is not a paper in Manitoba at least making a dollar; but still they come. The Souris people, are all things considered, a wealthy enterprising community, and men for men they will do their share towards maintaining the new aspirant for support, and wish it success.

Wall Paper.

The stock of the city is now open at Cliffe's bookstore, 8th street and Rosser Avenue. All other dealers are distanced in price, taking quality into account. Remember you can save 20% by buying at Cliffe's.

PERSONAL.

—Miss Deyell, of Souris, is visiting acquaintances in this city.

—Miss Brown, of this city, is visiting friends in Souris this week.

—Mr. P. E. Durt went to Moosomin last Friday on business.

—School Inspector Lang and wife went to Winnipeg on Monday.

—Mr. R. P. Roblin has bought out the plant of the Carman Standard.

—Mr. G. Lindsay, of Griswold, spent a few days in the city this week.

—Mr. W. W. Moore, is this week taking a trip over the Northern Pacific.

—Mr. T. D. Macfarlane, grain buyer at Oak River was in the city over Sunday.

—Miss Wood arrived from Belleville, Ont., last week, to take a position in Souris school.

—Mr. J. Young, of the Regina Leader was in the city on Tuesday on his return from Ottawa.

—Mr. Jas. Johnston, agent for Massey-Harris Co., Griswold, was in the city on Monday.

—Mr. W. F. Irwin, implement agent went east on Monday last.

—Mr. and Miss Blain, of Lindsay, Ont., are among the recent arrivals in this city.

—Rev. Father Bourdeau returned home on Saturday, after spending a few days in Winnipeg.

—Miss McCarty has resigned her position in the post office, and leaves to take charge of a school near Viridian.

—Mr. Thomas Sinclair, formerly of this city, has returned and taken a position in Mr. Cowan's barber shop.

—Mr. J. F. Bradley, of Elkhorn, returned home on Friday last, after a few days stay in this city.

—Miss Bell, who has been visiting the Misses Colquhoun, of Douglas, for the past week, returned home on Monday's express.

—Mr. Hugh Cameron, of Fay's, Manitoba Co., took a trip to Oxbow on Friday, returning home next day. He reports things lively on that line.

—Mr. H. Mott, butcher at Melita, was in the city yesterday on business and renewing old acquaintances.



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